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TWO TO DIE TO-DAY

Pustalka and Hermann To Be Executed at Sing Sing.

EACH MAN MURDERED HIS WIFE

Depected That They Will Meet Death Firmly - Visitors to the Condemned Men-Final Test of the Electrical Apparatus This Morning.

Sing Sing, N. Y., April 23.-Warden Sage has made all necessary preparations for the double execution of wife murderers Louis Hermann and Charles Pustalka to-day. Pustalka was visited yesterday by Father Creeden and two Sisters of Mercy from New York, who remained with him nearly all day. Pustalka was also visited by his youngest child, a girl aged 4 years, accompanied by two Dominican Sisters from the home Blauvettsville, N. Y., where all four of Pustalka's children are being cared for. Pustalka was very much affected by the visit of his child. Hermann was visited by his brother from Philadelphia and his brother-in-law of Brooklyn. Hermann wys not affected in the least by their He was also visited by Chaplain Welllis. Hermann says he was baptized in the Episcopal church, was married in the Episcopal church and will die in the Episcopal faith. He will be accompanied to the chair by ·Chaplain Weillis. Pustalka will be accompanied by Father Creeden of this place and Father Bruder of Poughkeepsie. Both men are bearing up bravely and will meet their fate, it is thought, without making any trouble. State Electrician Davis has made the final test of the electrical apparatus.

ADJOURNED SINE DIE.

Senator Quay Thanks the Pennsylvania Republicans for Last Fall's Results.

Harrisburg, April 23.-At the republican state committee meeting yesterterday afternoon the report of the committee on the contest from Allegheny county was presented. The report favored seating the contestants. bonator Flynn presented a minority report and made a vigorous speech in defense of his position. The majority report prevailed. A delegate from the fourth district of Luzerne county said the district had elected two delegates but Chairman Quay ruled that the district was entitled to but one, and each delegate was accordingly accorded half a vote by the committee. Senator Quay thanked each member for the parthe took in achieving the "magnificent results" of last November, and then declared the committee adjourned sinc die.

RAINES LIQUOR LAW.

Opinion of New York's Corporation Counsel on the Hotel Provision.

New York, April 23.—Corporation Counsel Scott sent an opinion to Chief of Police Coulin holding in effect that sa long as a man holds a hotel license regularly issued by the excise board he is a hotel proprietor within the meaning of the law, and where the police have a suspicion that any provision of the law is being violated, but no tangible evidence can be secured. the matter should be referred to the district attorney for investigation and indictment if the case warrants.

President Faure May Resign.

London, April 23.-The Daily News publishes to-day a dispatch from its Paris correspondent in which President Faure is represented as very uneasy, hardly knowing which way to turn. According to the dispatch, M. Faure meditates reverting to the policy formerly adopted by M. Sadi-Carnot of shuffling off the outgoing cabinet and bringing it in again as a new one. If the chamber of deputies support M. Bourgeois a deadlock will ensue unless President Faure shall ask the senate to join in dissolving or resign himself.

Mrs. Pietzel Will Demand Restitution. Philadelphia, April 23.—Thomas A. Eahy, counsel for Mrs. Benjamin F. Pictzel, said to-day that his client will arrive in this.city, probably this afternoon. The object of Mrs. Pietzel's visit is to demand restitution from Holmes for the \$6,000 insurance money due her upon the death of her husband and which Holmes collected shortly before the murder of the Pietzel chil-

McKinley and Protection.

Rutland, Vt., April 23 .- The republican city caucus last evening elected delegates to the state and district conventions on tickets headed "McKinley and Protection," and unanimously and enthusiastically adopted a resolution declaring the hope that McKinley would be the next president.

Chaplain at West Point.

Washington, April 23.-Rev. Herbert Shipman of Christ Episcopal church, New York city, has been appointed chaplain at the United States military academy, West Point, to serve four

The Boy Train Wreckers' PAR Rome, N. V. - - 23.-4

TO CONSTRUCT CANALS. Bill To Incorporate a Company To Build Waterways in New York.

of Wisconsin has introduced in the house a bill to incorporate the Maritime Canal Company of America. It empowers the company to construct SIX DAYS' TIME ALLOWED THEM canals from some point near the head of tidewater navigation in the Hudson river to Lake Champlain; from Lake Champlain to Lake St. Francis; frois the head of Lake St. Francis to the Long Sault rapids on the St. Lawrence, and from Lewiston on the Niagara river to a point above Niagara falls, all to have channels of twenty feet navigable depth and sufficiently wide for the largest vessels to pass. The company is also authorized to widen, deepen and straighten the Champlain & Hudson canal between the points where their canal crosses the Champlain & Hudson canal, and provides that the company in so doing shall donate to New York state locks connecting its own canal with the Champlain & Hudson canal, and the Glen Falls feeder, such locks to be of the dimensions of the present Erie canal locks. Provision is also made for the disposal by the company of their terminals and other appurtenances whenever desired. Authority is also given to the company to hold. but not to alienate so much of the land covered with the waters of the rivers and lakes which the canal may travers: as may be required for their wharves and other works.

CONNECTICUT REPUBLICANS.

Resume of the Work at Their State Convention in New Haven.

New Haven, April 23.-A resume of the work of the Connecticut republican state convention, held in New Haven yesterday, is as follows: Resolutions were passed declaring for a gold standard for protection, and for the Monroe doctrine, and pledged its support to the man who should be nominated at St. Louis. The delegates go to the national convention uninstructed. They are. Morgan J. Bulkeley, John L. Hutchinson, A. H. Brewer and Samuel Fessenden. County and district delegates: J. A. Cheney, George Sykes. Rufus W. Blake, J. M. Douglass, Chas. E. Bearles, Thomas H. Allen, E. A. Kellar and Hubert Williams. The new state central committee by districts is as follows: First, W. B. Dwight. Hartford; second, P. S. Bryant, East Hartford: third, George B. McLean. Simsbury: fourth, Robert A. Porter, Brissixth, L. M. Hubbard. Wallingford; seventh, F. L. Gaylord, Ansonia; eighth. J. A. Howarth. New Haven: ninth, Fred Farnsworth, New London; teath, W. H. Palmer, Montville: eleventh, George O. Jackson, Colchester; twelfth, W. S. Mead, Windham.

VICTORY FOR STRIKERS LIKELY. Philadelphia Contractors Sign the Children's Jacket Mukers' Agreement.

Philadelphia, April 23. - Meyer Shoenfield, organizer of the United Garment Workers of America, spent the greater part of his time in this city in visiting manufacturers to discuss with them the action of the contractors in refusing to renew last year's contracts with the children's jacket makers. Present indications point to a victory for the striking jacket makers. Five contractors have agreed, it is said, to renew the agreement. Mr. Shoenfield says that several contractors have gone to New York to secure new hands. The local unions of the United Garment Workers in that city have been requested to endeavor to dissuade children's jacket makers there from coming to this city.

EXIST ONLY ON PAPER.

Immense German Estates, Claimed by American Citizens, Are Fictitions.

Wechington, April 23.-W. Henry Rober on, United States consul at Hamburg, has informed the state department that at his request the authorities there investigated the supposed existence of the Fischer or Fisher estate, to which American citizens have made ciaim, and reported to him that, after a most careful search, they have been unforth find anything continuers has or estates of Steph ery best. It effethe records of a few mure and the meths of parties bearing similar faigs, names. The same answer was given in regard to other alleged estates. The authorities say that all these immense estates exist only on paper.

Five Hundred Hands Will Be Idle. Westbrook, Me., April 23.-Notices are posted announcing the Westbrook Gingham Manufacturing company will shut down for an indefinite period as soon as stock in process of construction is finis ed-about June 1. Some 500 employes will be without resources.

Sentenced to Life Imprisonment.

New Haven, Conn., April 23,-Jos. Colombe, who was convicted of murder in the second degree last week, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Shumway to life imprisonment.

Cenadian General Elections. Ottawa, April 23.-It is announced

Released from Custody.

The Exodus from the Island Continues-Newspaper Representatives Released on Bail-Weyler Attempts To

Justify His Threats. Havana, April 23.—Rev. Albert Diaz, the American Eaptist missionary, and his brother Alfred, who were arrested last week, have been set at liberty, but have been ordered to leave the country before the expiration of six days from the time of their release. The exodus from the island continues. The last Spanish mail steamer had on board 865 passengers, and all the rooms on the next steamer to sail have been engaged. Messrs, O Leary and Darley, American newspaper representatives, who were arrested at Matanzas on charges of maintaining relations with Alfonso Lopez, who is suspected of being a rebel spy. have been released on bail, which was furnished by the American vice-consul. Little war news is obtainable, the only information received being of slight importance. Louis Morales, a negro. was tried by court martial for having insulted the Spanish army and nation. The result of his trial is not known.

WEYLER'S ACCUSATIONS. He Attempts To Justify His Threats of Exterminating the Cubaus.

Havana, April 23.—Governor-General Weyler's chief of staff publishes a list of acts of insurgents which caused Gen. Weyler to proclaim them criminals and threaten them with death. Gen. Weyler authorizes its publication, "that the facts may be proven and the world may see to what use the arms sent to the insurgents are really put." These deeds were all done within the week before the proclamation was issued. He accuses the insurgents of burning villages at night while the inhabitants were asleep, the murder of inoffensive people, including women, boys and old men. destroying sugar estates, and the burning of fully 30,000,000 pounds of sugar. In nearly every case, the chief of staff says, where sugar plantations were destroyed, it was because the owners and workmen do not stop work and let themselves and their families starve, at the order of these men, whose acts, as above stated. Gen Wevler holds, show them to be bandits, deserving naught less than extermination. Gen. Weyler declares that if the outrages are committed by the Cuban or Spanish troops under him, he does not know it or order it; that they are retaliations for such outrages as the above, but he says he is here to proteet the peaceful and industrious people of Cuba against such wrongs, and intends to do it.

REFORMS FOR CUBA.

Will Not Be Applied Until Circumstances Are Favorable.

London, April 23.-The Post to-day publishes a dispatch to a news agency from Madrid saying that Senor Canovas del Castillo, the prime minister, states that political reforms in Cuba will not be applied until circumstances are favorable for such action and Captaing-Ceneral Weyler requests that it be taken. The dispatch also states that the prime minister reaffirms positively that there is not the slighest foundation for the reports that negotiations are being carried on between the governments at Madrid and Wash-

NEWFOUNDLAND SEALERS. The Total Catch Will Aggregate About

180,000 Skins.

St. Johns, N. F., April 23.—The sealing vessels Esquimaux and Terra Nova have arrived here from the seal fishery. The former has on board 10,000 young and old seal skins, equal in weight to 20,000 prime seal skins The Terra Nova's catch is about half that of the Esquimaux, and her trip has been an unprofitable one. Only six more vessels are out. The total eatch will aggregate about 180,000 skins.

Maryland Delegates Uninstructed.

Baltimore, April 23.—The republican state convention elected the following delogates-at-large: George S. Wellington, James A. Cary, Wm. T. Malster and Robert P. Graham. Electors-atlarge: Gen. Adam E. King and J. Cookman Boyd. The convention voted down a resolution instructing the delegates for McKinley and they will go uninstructed.

Baseball Games Yesterday.

At New York-Philadelphia, 14; New York, 3. At Baltimore-Baltimore, 8; Boston, 1. AtWashington-Brooklyn, 12; Washington, 8. At Pittsburg-Pittsburg, 8; Louisville, 3. At Cincinnati-Cincinnati, 7; Cleveland, 4. At St. Louis-Chicago, 9; St. Louis, 4.

Granite Cutters on Strike.

officially that the general elections five cutters in C. H. Moore & Co.'s United State and for the purpose of vack of Cleveland and Tominy Dixon will take place on June 23, noming granite shed went out vesterday becoming the Elmira bank cases, also for St. Paul, resulted in a victory for being middle areas berilier. In the dis use two men who though an see In alk-day vesterday. Oixon the twentistic to the constant of the distance of the dista

Washington, April 23.—Mr. Cooper Rev. Albert Diaz and His Brother President Cleveland's Coolness Saves Him from Death.

ACCIDENT WHILE DRIVING HOME

Horses, Maddened by a Fall, Plunge and Kick, Damaging the Carriage-Remained in His Seat Until Danger Was Past.

Washington, April 23.-The rumor that President Cleveland had been seriously injured by the overturning of his carriage through a collision with a cable car while on his way to Woodley from the executive mansion, was only partly true. While President Cleveland sustained no injury whatever, he had a very narrow escape, and had it not been for his presence of mind he might have lost his life. While the president was being driven to Woodley one of the horses fell, causing the other horse also to lose its footing. The animals kicked vigorously, broke one of the lamps of the carriage and also broke the dashboard and ruptured the harness. The president did not immediately alight, as the coachmen were quickly on the ground and disentangled the animals from the victoria.

His Presence of Mind.

An eye-witness of the accident says that the president displayed remarkable presence of mind in remaining in the vehicle until the horses were disentangled from the harness, for, although he was in serious danger in his position, had he alighted near the maddened animals he might have been seriously injured, perhaps killed, by a kick from one of the brutes. When the president left his carriage Hon. Gardner G. Hubbard, who was driving along the road, seeing the plight he was in, stopped and courteously tendered his carriage to the president who accepted a seat in it and was conveyed home in time for dinner.

DANBURY'S FIRE.

The Total Loss Inflicted Will Reach Fully Danbury, Conn., April 23.-The fire

vesterday afternoon which destroyed Mackinzie & Sons' and Davenport & Von Gals' hat tactories and George Taylor's tobacco store, near Taylor street, inflicted a total loss of fully \$70,000. The fire started in the drying room of the Mackinzie factory. Engismoke, and on opening the door of the drying room the flames burst out and drove him back. There were but a dozen operatives in the place, as the factory had been shut down to make repairs. The flames spread so quickly that they had barely time to make their escape. Fifteen minutes after the fire started the Mackinzie factory was in ruins and the flames had spread to Davenport & Von Gals, flity feet distant. From there they leaped to the Taylor building. Lee & Hawley's factory just beyond and H. McLaughlin's opposite were on fire several times and with the strong wind that was blowing it looked as though it would be impossible to save them. All buildings were large threestory frame structures. Mackinzie & Sons employed 150 hands and Davenport & Von Gals, 125. Both shops were fairly busy. Mackingie & Sons' loss is \$25,000; insurance, \$20,000. Davenport & Von Gals' loss is \$35,000; insurance, \$20,000. George Taylor's loss is \$8,000; insurance, \$4,000.

SOUTH AFRICAN AFFA!RS Great Britain Determined To Prevent

Foreign Intervention. London, April 23.-In a speech at the Constitutional club last evening Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, reiterated his formerly expressed views regarding South African affairs. He insisted that Great Britain must above all things prevent foreign intervention and expressed hope that harmony would soon be restored. In his remarks Mr. Chamberlain divulged nothing regarding the negotiations now in progress. The government, he said, was fully alive to the serious position resulting from the revolt in Matabeleland, but believed that the repression of the outbreak could be best achieved by the local forces, and, therefore, unless an unexpected emergency should arise, would not send a large detachment of imperial troops to the scene of the trouble.

Held in \$3,000 Bonds.

Winsted, Conn., April 23.-J. N. Cowles of Norfolk, under arrest charged with embezzling the property of D. J. Warner of Salisbury, was placed under bonds of \$3. Cowles was a member of the Norfo banking Erm of Cowles & Eldridge, a high collanded a few months ago. At the time of the failure Eldridge fled to Norfolk, Kansas, but was brought back on a requisition and in the superior court at Latenfield he pleaded not guilty of embezzlement.

Its Work Not Finished.

Utica, N. Y., April 23. -The extraor-

WORK OF CONGRESS.

Pension Bill in the House—Appropriation Bill in the Senate. Washington, April 23.-The house

to-day is engaged in debate on the general pension bill reported from the committee on invalid pensions. The debate is likely to continue throughout the week. Its provisions were explained at length by Mr. Pickler, rep., S. D., chairman of the committee, who occupied two and one half hours in making his speech. The intent of the bill, he said, was to fix and determine certain controverted questions which had arisen in the administration of the pension bureau, so as to prevent secretaries of the interior and pension commissioners from undoing the work and reversing the rulings of their predecessors. An the house yesterday a vote was taken on the resolution declaring Albert T. Goodwyn, pop., to have been elected representative from the fifth district of Alabama, and entitled to the seat occupied until yesterday by James E. Cobb, dem. The resolution was agreed to, and Mr. Goodwyn was thereupon sworn in. The bills to continue the present government of Greer county, which the supreme court of the United States on March 16 declared was a part of Oklahoma and not of Texas, and to confirm the titles of settlers on the public lands therein, were passed. Mr. Scranton, rep., Pa., endeavored to secure consideration for the bill providing for the election of a delegate in congress from Alaska, but Mr. Crisp dem., Ga., objected.

In the Senate,

The Indian appropriation bill is occupying the attention of the senate today, various matters in connection with Choctaws. Chorokees, Creeks and "squaw men" being under discussion. The bill as it came from the house appropriated \$1.135.000-increased by the senate to \$1.325.000—for support of day and industrial schools for Indian children. But this appropriation is accompanied by a provision absolutely prohibiting future payment for education of Indian children in sectarian schools. Mr. Cockrell offered an amendment to substitute for that provision a declaration that it is the settled policy of the government to make no appropriation whatever for the education of indian childred in any sectarian school. just as soon as it is possible for provision to be made for their education otherwise. It also provides that the secretary of the interior may make contracts with present contract schools during the fiscal year 1897, to neer Charles B. Pickering smelled half the amount used for the fiscal year 1896. This amendment was agreed to.

RAILROAD NOT TO BLAME.

Canadian Pacific's Lutal Accident Due to a Bad Washout.

Greenville Junction, Me., April 23.-A construction crew, working since Tuesday morning, has a track laid around the wreck near Holeb, Me., on the Canadian Pacific railroad and traffic has been resumed. State Caroner Additon of Skowhegan, who investigated the cause of the accident, finds the railroad company in no way culpable for the accident or death of the three emigrants killed on Monday last, but that the accident was caused by a bad washout. All passengers had been warned not to go upon the car platforms at all, but they disobeyed.

DANGERS OF OCEAN TRAVEL

One Hundred Icebergs and an Immense Ice Field Passed by the Michigan.

Boston, April 23,-Capt. Oxford of the steamer Michigan, from Liverpool, reports that on April 18 he passed about 100 icebergs and an unmense field of pack ice, four or five miles in extent, near the bergs. Capt. Oxford says the bergs and ice are directly in the path of ocean vessels, making their passage very dangerous.

Private Gray Convicted.

Long Island City, L. I., April 23.-Matthew Gray, a private in the engineer battalion. United States army, stationed at Willets Point, L. I., was convicted of manslaughter in the first degree by a jury in the supreme court here last night. On Sunday morning, Oct. 13, 1895, Gray fatally stabbed Patrick Shea in John Murray's saloon at Whitestone.

Wants \$25,000 Damages.

Concord, N. H., April 23.-Mrs Sylva W Hazeltine of Portland has brought suit against Dr. Charles R. Walker, a prominent physician of this city, claiming \$25,000 damages for alleged malpractice, and has had all his real estate here attached. The suit is returnable in the United States court at Portland, May 8.

Baron Hirsch's Death.

Budapest, April 23.-Investigation into the cause of the death of Baron de Hirsch proves that the rumors put into circulation to the effect that his death was not due to natural causes are entirely without foundation. The autopsy shows that his death was the result of an attack of apoplexy.

Victory for Dixon. Long Island City, L. I., April 23 .-

The fight at the Eureka Athletic club Montpelier, Vt., April 23. -Seventy- | dinary grand fury summoned in the | here last night between Johnny La-

AN ENGLISH ALLIANCL

Edward Atkinson's Idea of Rendering War Impossible.

HIS PLANS FOR UNIVERSAL PEACE

Results Following the Appointment of the Venezuelan Commission Used as an

Illustration -- Commerce Protectors. Not Commerce Destroyers.

Washington, April 23.-Edward Atkinson, of Brookline, Mass., in his address before the Washington conference on arbitration, said he desired to disabuse the minds of his hearers. that he advocated "peace at any price." He argued in favor of an international union of the great manufacturing and, commercial states for the enforcement of peace upon the high seas by making use of their naval power to police the . ocean. "The time now seems ripe," he said, "for such a treaty among na-. tions, to the end that in place of the. base title of 'commerce destroyers,' the ships of the pavy of this and other Christian nations may bear the honorable of 'commerce protectors.' The conscience of the English speakingpeople has been aroused even by the... hint of possible warfare between the two great families into which they arenow divided. Not only in this countrybut in Great Britain suggestions tending toward this great advance in the. cause of peace have been made in the.

disputes to arbitration? Mr. Atkinson's Plans.

parliament of the United Kingdom.

Shall we let this opportunity pass.

without securing even greater safe-

guards for the maintenance of peace

than a mere agreement to submit our

"It need not necessarily be a permanent court, but a submission of each and every cause of dispute as it arises to a tribunal qualifiéd either as a court of law or a court of equity to report upon the rights of the case in the next twelve months, each tribunal selected as each case may arise with a view to the standing and qualifications of its members to deal with the subject at issue. How supremely absurd and ridiculous has the position of the jingoes in our congress become and how superfluous any threat of war on the Venezuelan boundary since the commission of most eminent men was appointed only on our part to whom access has been so readily given by the government of the United Kingdem to all the evidence on which they rest their case. The mere delay required in establish-. ing the rights in this and every case has sufficed, as it would in every other, to expose the sham pretense of patriotism which seeks only personal notori-

ety by appeals to passion and prejudice. Taxation Here and Abroad.

"Owing to the terrible necessity which rests upon Great Britain to maintain her existence through her sea power, her budget has been increased while our national taxation is being diminished. The cost of our national government for twenty years averaged but five dollars per head of population. Under the impulse to build a new navy and to fortify the coast this charge, after having diminished to only four dollars and a quarter, has been rapidly increased of late-yet our contribution now is only five dollars-it is being reduced, relatively by the rapid increase of 4bject . tion. The budget of Great Brit M. of the present year calls for taxatidi of nearly thirteen dollars per head for national purposes only. That of France is eighteen dollars; that of Germany, adding to the imperial taxes a part of the budgets of the kingdoms and duchies which are of that nature, ten dollars per head.

Advocates an English Alliance.

"What is our duty and our opportunity? Shall we join in that petry jealousy which has isolated Great Britain among the European states for the very reason that her rule is that of equity and her dominion unimpaired by any effort to retain the sole control of commerce in her great domain to herself alone? Shall we ally ourselves with Spain in her effort to subdue Cuba? Shall we ally ourselves with the junkers of Germany under the rule of blood and iron,' of privilege and dynastic control? Shall we ally ourselves with Russia? Or shall we shut up ourselves within our own limits until by the very weight of our crops we are 'smothered in our own grease?' Shall we not rather put aside our petty jealousy and bearing witness to the great function of the English-speaking people and the charge which is upon them to establish personal liberty and the dominion of law wherever they go, may we not now grasp the opportunity which the circumstance of the hour have put within our reach? Shall we not make such a union among the English-speaking people of the world, and all others who may join, as shall render it forever impossible to incite war among them and also impossible for any other state or nation to weaken the bonds of mutual service by which we may now become united? Would not that be a larger patriotism and a Inder idea than has yet been - 111

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The President of the European and American staff of physicians and surgeons (composed of German, Fuglish, Scandinavian and American doctors) will be at the Russell House Tuesday, April 28th, and will render service to the sick, free of charge. The object is to become rapidly and personally acquainted with the sick, and afflicted invalids without take offense if they are rejected as incurable as no case will be accepted unless there is a moral certainty of a cure king effected. If your case is incurable, they will frankly and honorably tell you.

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Children Crv Pitcher'

BETTER THAN EURGLAR ALARMS The Retired Professional Housebreaker's

Opinion of Old Maids. "In my long career," said the Retired Professional as he grew reminiscent, "I of course burglarized all sorts of houses and encountered all sorts of people. I see that the Reformed Burglar says that small dogs are most to be dreaded by our fraternity, while the Bankrupt Murderer lays his misfortunes to crying babies. I'm not going to dispute them, but I'll give you a straight tip that I've had more trouble

with old maids than all the dogs and

babies put together."

in my time.

"In just what way?" was asked. "Well, firstly, not one out of 20 goes to sleep before 11 o'clock or later, and as a class they sleep like cats. Rattle a blind and they are out of bed to see what's the matter. Get into a house where there's an old maid around and the chances are more than even that she'll wake up and bring on a calamity. Bless your heart, but I've played with a baby in its crib and actually walked off with a poodle or terrier under my arm, but the old maids beat me every time. I was figuring up the other day, and found that such females as a class had swindled me out of at least \$50,000

"And if you happened to have the luck to get into a house without waking 'em, and walked in on an old maid as she slept," he went on-"whizz-geebut your goose was cooked for sure! You might have a whole cartload of pistols and knives, threaten her with all of 'em, but she'd scream just the same; and such yells and shricks! , I'm no hand to criticise the other sex, but after a career of 20 years, and after retiring in an honorable manner, I must say that I haven't a word in favor of old, maids. They drove me away from scores of good jobs just when I had the window up and ready to go in, and they run me out of scores of houses emptyhanded after I had the silver packed up and had hushed the wakeful baby to sleep. The Reformed Burglar, the Bankrupt Murderer and the Indigent Robber may all have their say and lay it on to dogs and bables and burgiar alarms, but the fact remains that I'd have held on to business at least five years longer but for the old maids of this country. They were increasing the risks 100 per cent., and reducing the swag to a piece of pie from the pantry and a few old curios from the parlor mantel."—Detroit Free Press.

CREAMED FISH CUTLETS.

The Formula for a Very Palatable Supper Dish.

This is a very dainty preparation of halibut, which is suitable for an elaborate supper: Take a pint of cooked halibut, broken into flakes. Season it with a teaspoonful of salt and half a teaspoonful of white pepper and half a teaspoonful of onion juice, produced by grating a white onion on a large grater. Melt a tablespoonful of butter in a saucepan, add a large teaspoonful of flour and a cup of rich milk or thin cream. Now add the seasoned halibut. Let it boil and stir in two whites of eggs. Spread this mixture on a platter, and when it is cold cut it out with a cutter in the shape of a meat chop, or cool the mixture in cutlet-shaped molds. Stir the two egg yolks left with two tablespoonfuls of milk. Dip each "cutlet" In this mixture, then in fine bread crumbs and fry it in hot fat for three minutes, or until it is a rich golden brown. Arrange the cutlets in a circle on the largest dinner plate you have, if you have not a regular chop platter, and decorate them with clusters of green parsley. Serve them with tartar sauce. This sauce is especially nice with fish or broiled chickens, and can be made at any time, as it will keep an indefinite period in a covered jar so long as it is kept cold. Chop fine one shallot, a small enion will do, and add a teaspoonful each of chervil and tarragon. Add 12 capers. Put these in an earthen bowl, add half a teaspoonful of mustard and two raw yolks and a teaspoonful of very strong salad vinegar. drop by drop, stirring the yolks of eggs and other ingredients all the time. Add a saltspoonful of pepper. Drop about a half of a pint bottle of oil gradually over the sauce and stir it until it begins to grow as thick as beaten butter, then add the oil more rapidly and finish. Put the sauce in a bowl of ice while beating it and let it be thoroughly chilled as a salad dressing when served on the hot cutlets of fish. Salmon or any cold fish can be served in this way and fried either in the form of cutlets or croquettes. They may be served with a sauce of a tablespoonful of butter, one of lemon juice and half a teaspoonful of minced parsley, beaten together.-N. Y. Tribune.

Kitchen Comforts.

A big, sturdy, comfortable rockercushioned—should await your pleasure. Sit whenever you can. A couch is a famous rest-giver. Haven't you an old settee hidden away? Drag it out; dress it up. Stout, washable stuff should cover and cushion it. Intervals in baking, waits in your work, should be spent flat on your back. Pive minutes at a time will remove the wrinkles and iron out your iron muscles and nerves. Have your kitchen table covcred with tin. There will be more time for recreation and less for scrubbing after that. There is a certain joy about being able to lift a hot pot and plump it down on your tin-covered table. That little pervous flutter, born in fear of corching or staining the table, is gone. And do you realize it is just such little thrills of annoyance that age us, the constant dropping that wears away the stone? Creaking doors, windows that tick, mistit pot-lids do away with them .- Womankind.

Sounded Like It.

Mr. Bloobumper-Certainly not, Benny. That is a very silly question.

Benny Bloobumper-Papa, can we cat

"Why not?" Benny Bloobumper-But the brake-"Because you don't appear to keep your choagen con-"-Texas man called out "Tyenty minutes for

APPENDICITIS.

Grape Seeds Not the Only Cause-Skillful Surgical Operations.

All over the country many people have almost entirely given up the use of grapes and other small fruits on account of their fear of appendicitis. Indeed, so much has been said on this subject that such articles of diet are recorded as almost on the list of things prohibited. A physician of wide experience, and one who has performed many operations for appendicitis, says that in all of the cases that he has handled he has never found a seed of any sort as the irritating cause. Any little particle of undigested food may get into the entrance to this little sac, provided it is open far enough to receive it. It is not supposed to be necessary that any trouble begins immediately, although no one knows positively anything about

Appendicitis may begin by a cold, a strain, or any predisposing cause of inflammation. The question has often been asked why we have appendicitis when aforetime such a disease was never known. The only reason is that physicians have learned to locate what was formerly considered an inflammation of the bowels, or peritonitis, or an abscess, the cause and progress of which were involved in obscurity. Surgery has done much to alleviate human suffering, and if people would only use a little more intelligence and reason in matters of this sort, could do much more. Of course, it is not unnatural that the idea of an operation fills the average mind with horror. In years past this was almost equivalent to a death warrant. Very few people survived operations, and the suggestion was, indeed, appalling, but now wellequipped hospitals, modern appliances, antiseptics and skill have changed all this, and one may enter an operating room and go through the ordeal with 98 chances in 100 in one's favor, provided, of course, the system is in a condition to resist an ordinary shock.

It is said that appendicitis is not necessarily a fatal disease, but that proper care and treatment may oftentimes relieve the patient and do away with the need of an operation. Physicians, however, claim that in cases of this sort a recurrence of the disease is not unlikely. However, operations may be undergone with safety, provided the Eurgeon is skillful enough. If he is not, it is an unfortunate fact, which one must expect to face. Good surgeons are born, not made or educated, and if one can fall into the hands of the few men who have a positive genius for surgery. the undertaking is likely to be gone through with successfully, and the patient is ever after thankful and comfortable. But in the ranks of the medical profession there are found many men who will not hesitate to operate for the sake of the experience it gives them. They always report a successful and brilliant operation, even though a few days later the patient may be dead, "unfavorable symptoms having set in."

HOMELY ROYALTY.

-N. Y. Ledger.

A Pleasant Picture of the Queen and Her Children.

Her majesty kept the religious instruction of her children largely in her own hands. When Mr. Birch had been appointed tutor to the prince of Wales. the queen wrote:

"It is an important step, and God's blessing be upon it; for upon the good education of princes, and especially

those who are destined to govern, the welfare of the world, in these days, very greatly depends."

A story is told that, when the archdeacon of London was catechizing the young princes, he said: "Your governess deserves great credit for instructing you so thoroughly." At which the boys piped up: "Oh, but it is mamma who teaches us our catechism." It is not, perhaps, generally known that the queen occasionally taught a Bible class

for the children of those in attendance

at Duckingham palace. The princess royal when a child, and the prince of Wales, too, needed the curb occasionally. Once the princess at a military review was coquetting with some officers of the escort, and took no notice of warning looks by the queen. Finally she dangled her handkerchief over the side of the carriage and dropped it intentionally. There

was a rush of young officers to pick it up, but the queen bade them desist, and, turning to the princess, sa'd in a stern voice: "Now, pick up your handker-chief yourself." There was no help for it. The princess, with flaming checks and a saucy toss of the head, did as she was told. Another time it was "Princie" who received a wholesome lesson. He was riding in company with his father, and for once forgothis usual politeness and neglected to acknowledge the salute of a passer-by. Prince Albert, observing it, said: "Now, my son, go back and return that man's bow."

und he had to do it.-Woman at Home. Predicament of a Baby Prince.

Prince Boris, so European journals hint, was not admitted to the Russian church in a really orthodox manner. The difficulty is said to arise from the holy oils used in the act of consecration. The oils of the Bulgarian branch of the Orthodox church are not recognized by Russian theologians as efficacious, so that Prince Boris, according to Russian ideas, really belongs to no religion whatever. The position of a prince who grows up to find himself an agnostic solely on account of the disputed validity of a particular kind of oil certainly entitles him to compassion .- Detrort Free Press.

Rather Unreliable. !

"You say you have been engaged to be married three times?" said a Dallas society youth to Miss Birdle McGinnis.

"Well, then, I don't think it will be any use for me to make an engagementa to go to the theater to-morrow night?"

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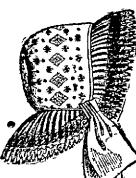
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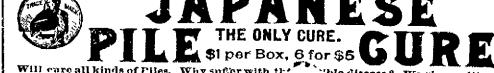
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HOW TO GAIN WEIGHT,

L Regimen for the Accumulation of Flosh.

A regimen to encourage the accumulation of flesh prescribes frequent meals, first of all, as, directly after eating, there is a tendency to inactivity which is in itself conducive to fat, There should be five instead of three meals a day, with a rest after each, The midmorning and midafternoon refreshment may be light and simple -an egg beaten up in orange juice at one and a glass of milk at the other, but they should be eaten regularly. At the other meals more eggs and milk, toasted bananas, tenderloin steak, hot chocolate, whipped cream, baked potatoes, cream soups of various sorts, and similar fat-producing foods. Coffee, tea, lemonade, condiments—pickles, clives and the like-should be used sparingly. Toast should be almost prohibited; gluten, whole wheat, rye, Boston brown or graham bread partaken of instead. Green salads dressed with plenty of pure oil, and only a dash of lemon juice, are valuable. The salad leaves are really merely the vehicle for oil, more oil, and still oil. It is remarkable the amount of oil one can learn to consume by increasing the quantity I'ttle by little. The seeker after plumpness should keep off her feet as much as possible. If she is a carriage woman, to much the better; if she is not, and is besides, a business woman, let her watch every chance throughout the day when she may sit or ride in heu of standing or walking. Another point to be emphasized is to keep warmnot merely fairly warm, but warm at wrist and hand, at foot and ankle, at cars and nose. Nine-tenths of the women go through life shivering, without appreciating that they are cold, because they are used to it. To sum up. ample feeding, inertia and warmth are the three important factors in the fleshproducing formula.-N. Y. Times. The "Hub of the Universe."

The average kitchen is sepulchral in surroundings and fittings-poorly lighted, illy-ventilated and destitute of the first ray of comfort. Yet it is the "hub of the universe," and the place where one-balf of womankind spends most of her waking hours. There is a remedy. I am not going to preach carelessness in housekeeping methods, but I do contend if any slighting must be done in buying, don't let the kitchen appointments suffer. A wellequipped kitchen is more attractive than a dainty drawing-room-when you have to live in it. In trying to "make out" with insufficient numbers of cooking utensils and dishes, the housewife takes from her physical surength and good humor. You may not realize it yourself-but your friends know there is some cause for that tired, strained look in your face. Learn to economize in physical force before you draw your purse strings .-Womankind.

THE LETTER "T."

French Graphologist Says That If Ladicates the Writer's Character.

A French graphologist has discovered that character can be read from the letter "t" alone. 'He claims that the ertical line represents the fatality of Riday allegorical production, once human will exercises upon this life, and the horizontal bar the influ-

In addition, he claims that the higher part of the vertical line—that projecting above the horizontal bar-has indications stathe amount of ideality contained in the make-up of the writer, and that the inferior part of this line corresponds to the practical and material part of the man's character.

For instance, the timist crosses his t's with a line that slopes upward from the earth to the sky, as it were. The poet often crosses his t's quite above the vertical line; in other words, in the

The pessimist crosses his t's with a downward sloping stroke. The line, which commences at the ideal portion of the letter, descends little by little until it is lost among the sad realities of earthly existence.

The practical man, it appears, always steers a middle course, and crosses his t's neither in the ideal nor in the material, but exactly midway between the

Confessed. Papa-If you marry that penniless count aren't you a little afraid of the

outcome? Agatha-Oh, dear, it's the income that worries me the most.-N. Y. World.

An Elegant Sufficiency. Mrs. Slimdiet-Have some more of the mackerel, Mr. Boarder?

Mr. Boarder-No, thank you; but I'll take a bucket of water, if you please.-N. Y. Weckly.

How It Felt.

"I don't know what is the matter with my finger," said the little girl. "It feels as if it was going to have a splinter in it."-Chicago Tribune.

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Fourteen-Year-Old William Shaefer Commits Suicide in Philadelphia,

Philadelphia. April 23 .- Fourteenyear-old William Shaefer ended his life yesterday afternoon by hanging in the cellar of his home. 734 West street. The lad had been morbid and despondent for some time past. He refused to attend school and recently, after being reprimanded by his parents for inattention to his studies, he told several playmates that he would take his life. They at the time considered it an idle boast. Young Shaefer was an eager reader of lurid literature.

Railroad Rumor Denied. New York, April 23.-C. H. Foster says there is no truth in the statement made in a l'hiladelphia dispatch that negotiations are pending for a settlement between the Reading and the Philadelphia, Reading & New England railroia, which contemplates an exchange of Philadelphia, Reading & New England bonds into new securities under the Reading reorganization

Stanchfield Wants To Be Governor.

Albany, April 23.—The gubernatorial candidacy of John B. Stanchfield of Elmira, the democratic leader in the assembly, was formally launched last night at a dinner at the hotel Kenmore. given to Mr. Stanchfield by his democratic associates in the lower house of the legislature.

In Gov. Morton's Hands.

Albany, April 23 .- The Greater New York bill, which was passed by the assembly yesterday by a vote of 78 to 59 over the vetoes of the mayors of New York and Brooklyn, is now in the hands of Gov. Morton for his signature, it having been previously passed by the senate

Cinnamon Adulteration.

The organ of the Society of Public Analysts mentions the following curious instance of commercial ingenuity: A certain firm of confectioners abroad use a large quantity of walnuts in various forms of sweets and found that the shells had a distinct commercial value and, in fact, they sold the shells for more than they gave for the whole walnuts. The shells are ground to powder and then used in adulterating ground cinnamon. But the buyer is not altogether secure in purchasing elmamon in the stick, for this is sometimes adulterated by the natives . ho gather it with banks of other shrub!". A heartless, if ingenious, deception, too, is that practiced every spring, when large quantities of a common weed, the leaf of which closely resembles the musk plant, are by some means slightly scented with musk and sold as the genuine, at so much a root, to the great subsequent disappointment of the buyer.—Household World

A Poor Machine.

"I am afraid your typewriter is not a good make of machine," said the editor to a man who had brought in a typewritten article. "Why, sir?"

"I see it doesn't know how to spell ery well,"-To Date.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

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-Cynicism-"Papa, what is a cynic?" 'A cynic, my so, is a man who sneers it everything he hasn't cash enough to ceep up with."-Chicago Record.

-"How does Jibson stand prosperity since he came into his fortune?" "Oh. he stands it all right, but it is pretty tough on his friends."—Cincinnati Eq-

-"I wonder why the widows always get the best of the race for husbands?" asked the fool young man. "They are faster, I guess," replied Miss Ann Shent.-Cincinnati Enquirer.

-"I do not see," she said, with great severity, "how it would be possible to add to the unsightliness of bloomers." And the little wheelwoman contented herself with innocently remarking: "Perhaps you are prejudiced. Did you ever try them on?"--Washington Star.

-They Listened to the End.-"You know what a long-winded speaker Mr. Wyndham is?" "I guess I do." "He says he never delivered but one speech where some people did not get up and go out." "Where was that?" "In the Joliet penitentiary."-Port Jervis Ga-

-"My good man," said the titled gentleman who had been violating a municipal ordinance, "I am not subject to the laws here; I belong to the nobility." "Well, begorrah," replied Mr. Terrence Flynn, "for the matter o' that, nayther am Oi. Oi belong till the police force."-Washington Star.

-"Glass-eating," observed a freak who was as yet unclassified, "is a bad business. A glass-eater is thrown much in the way of temptation. I have known several to become addicted to the bottle." The Zulu chief, to whom all civilization was new, laughed boisterously, but otherwise all was intensely and oppressively still.—Detroit Tribune.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

-Miss Jane Eyre, who has just been graduated from a Pennsylvania normal school, is a full-blooded Pawnee In-

-Rev. John Watson, of Liverpool England, who has written over the nom de plume of Ian MacLaren, has been chosen to deliver the Lyman Beecher course of lectures at Yale.

-From the time of the death of the ate Irish Protestant primate and archbishop of Armagh till his burial the bells of the Roman Catholic cathedral at Armagh were tolled.

-Odds against horses were set forth and candidates asked how they could win a certain amount in any event, in a problem of a recent London university examination paper. The religious newspapers have protested since against the question, as improper.

-Prof. Stickel, of Jena, the Arabic scholar, has died, at the age of 93. $\, {
m He}$ had taught continually at Jena from 3827 till last year. He was the last of the pupils of Silvestre de Sacy and of the band of young scholars in whom Goethe was interested in during his last

-Mme. Jules Favre, widow of the French statesman who in 1871 declared that France would not yield an inch of her territory, recently died at Sevres. For the last 20 years she had been at the head of the normal training school for women in that town, and had been very successful as a teacher and executive.

.- Great regret is felt in theological and university circles of Germany at the death in Jena of Rev. Dr. Johann Gustav Stickel, a privy councilor and one of the most famous orientalists in the empire. He was the oldest docent in Germany, having reached the ripa age of 91 years. Until a few months ago he was actively engaged in his pro

Coffee Making.

Many persons who are unable to drink coffee that has been boiled or made by putting the coffee directly in boiling water and cooking at or above the boiling point for a certain number of minutes, are able to drink without any disagreeable consequences, either present or future, coffee made by percolation, that is, by inclosing the coffee in a bag of some kind or in a wire gauze strainer and pouring the boiling water upon it. This method of coffee-making should always be used in households where the members breakfast at different hours, and where only one pot of coffce is made. In France, where chicory is often added to the coffee, percolated or "drip" coffee that is quite strong is often made and tightly bottled or sealed so that its aroma cannot escape and kept in a cool place for several days. As it is wanted it is heated and served with hot milk, and, if you want it absolutely perfect, heat your cup also. Percolated coffee is considered more economical than boiled .-- N. Y. Post.

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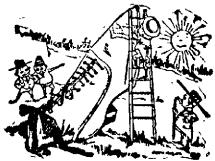
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Word came from Albany, yesterday, that the legislative powers that be have determined that the Raines law shall not be amended at this session. It is just as well. The next legislature, which is cartain to be Democratic, will, however, run a mowing machine through it.

The four Assemblymen from Mr. Odell's preserve, Messrs, Bedell, Goodsell, Messiter and Cutler, all voted for the Greater New York bill, WOMEN CANNOT BE CELEGATES yesterday. Mr. Goodsell made a pretense of independence and when the roll was called voted no, but when Speaker Fish went to him and assured him that his vote might be needed, he changed to the affirma-

The Middletown liquor dealers, who surrendered their old licenses In March and took out new ones for a year, will watch with interest the progress of the suit begun yesterday, by Alex. Balogh. a New York city saloon keeper, to restrain Excise Commissioner Lyman from interfering with his business until his old license expires.

Thirty Republican Assemblymen voted against the Greater New York bill and eight Democrats for it. Seventy-six affirmative votes were needed to pass the bill and it received seventy-eight. It was a very narrow margin on which to win and had not Ben Bolt Odell's fit of independence been very short lived, the votes of the four Assemblymen from his "deestrick" would have knocked out Platt and his pet measure.

Five hundred Odell buttons were distributed in this city, Saturday, and in all 2,000 have been given away, some of which are worn while a good many are not. The demand, however, coutinues and another thousand have been ordered by Ingham Stubley, clerk of the Board of Super visors, who is chief button distributor for Ben Bolt. Teat Mr Odell's Orange county friends are willing to wear his buttons may gratify his vanity, but the disuribution of a million buttons will never make him Governor.

IN MEMORIAM.

Elawatha Lodge, K. of P., on the Death of Thomas G. Mabee,

At the regular meeting of Hlawatha Lodge, No. 252, K. of P., of Pine Bush, N. Y, held April 14, 1896, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the universe to re-inove from us our late brother, Thos. C. Mabee, and because of the intimate relationship long held by our deceased brother with the members of this lodge, we desire to express our appreciation of his services as a brother and his deserts as a man, therefore be it.

Resolved by Hiawatha Lodge, No. 252, that while we bow in submission to the will of the Supreme Ruler of the universe, we do mourn the loss of our brother, who has been called to rest, and be it

Resolved, That in the death of Thomas G. Mabee this lodge loses a brother, whose friendship, charity and benevolence, were shared by all and whose honest and upright life has endeared him not only to the brethren of the order, but to all his associates, and be it

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in the minutes of this lodge and that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased brother.

H. R. TAYLOR, D. T BOWEN, Com. N. HIGBY. A. S. DECKER.

The Repp Boy's Bicycle Purchase Causes a Dispute.

The bicycle which the Repr boy bought with Mrs. Fields' money is in Police Court awaiting some one who will own it, and but \$2 of the \$8 paid for the wheel by the boy has been returned. A question has arisen as to whether the man who sold the wheel to the boy acted as agent or en his own account, and pending the settlement of the dispute \$6 of the price paid by the boy is hung up.

Smelt Fry for the Delaware River

An effort is being made by the Fish Commissioners of the State of New Jersey to stock the Delaware River with smelt. Five millions of smelt fry were taken from the State hatcheries at Hackensack, to-day, take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon appetite via the Erle railroad, to Port Tryis, came back; the sores commenced to heal. where they were deposited in the [My limbs straightened out and I threw Delaware River, They were in charge of Mr. Fred Smith, an employe of the State hatcheries.

When Traveling

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleas antly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fevere. headaches, and other forms of sick ness. For sale in 50 cent and \$1 botties by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig. Syrup Company only.

INKSTANDS AS WEAPONS.

Two Congressmen Esgage in a Row, Which Howalts seriously. BY UNITED PRESE

WA'HINGTON, April 23-Congressmen Hall and Money had a serious collision, to-day. They had a misunderstanding over a remark of Hall's in the Naval Committee room, and Money called Hall "a d-1 liar." The men then started for each other and each seized an inkstand. Hall fired his first and his inkstand struck Money over the eye, inflicting a gash half an inch long. Money's inkstand fell harmlessly. Bystanders then interfered. Money's injury is not very serious.

The Proposition to Admit Them as Lay Delegates to the Methodist General Conference Defeated.

BY UNITED PRESS

BALTIM'RE, April 23.-The proposition to admit women as lay delegates to the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church has been defeated by the vote of the North Dakota Conference, which has just been received. The vote was the last to be taken and 'he total is shown tobe, 7 515 for to 2,529 against, a two-thirds vote being necessary.

TWO WIFE MURDERERS EXECUTED

Hermann and Puzzoika Die in the Sing sing Prison Electrical Chair.

BY UNITED PRESE Sing Sing, April 23-Louis P. Hermann and Charles Pustolka, both of New York city, and both wife murdeters, were executed by electricity in the State prison here, tc-day.

> A RAILROAD TIE-UP. BY UNITED PRESS.

CHICAGO, April 23 -The tie-up of the Indiana Midland Railroad is completa. The strikers all along the line hold the situation and the indications are that not a wheel will be turned until the men get their wages or part of them at least.

OKLAHAMA TO BE MADE A STATE BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, April 23-The House Territories' Committie by a vote of 6 to 2 has agreed to report f vorably the bill admitting Oklahama to statehood.

> A CLERGYMAN'S SUICIDE. BY UNITED PRESS.

LEXINGTON, April 23-Rev. James Oaywood, a distinguished minister of the Southern Methodist Church. committe i suicive, to-day. He was

TO EXTRADITE THE BURDEN JEWEL THIEVES.

BY UNITED PRESE Washington, April 23 -- President Cleveland has signed papers for the extradition of the Burden jewel robbers.

GOV. FOSTER'S MAJORITY 20,000 BY UNITED PRESS.

New Orleans, April 23 .- The maority for Foster, D-mograt, for Governor, will be over 20,000.

Rachelle Renard's Comedy Company. "Rip Van Winkle" was produced at the Casino by the Rachelle Repard Comedy Company, last evening, before a very small audience. The company did not appear to advantage, the principals being unsuited to

the characters of Rip and Gretchen. "Fanchon, the Cricket." will be produced to-night, and "East Lypne" to morrow night.

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The iron grasp of scrofula has no mercy upon its victims. This demon of the blood is often not satisfied with causing dreadful sores, but racks the body with the pains of rheumatism until Ilood's Sarsaparilla cures.

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DESERTED BY HIS SPOUSE. A Middletown Man Uses Harsh Lan-

guage to His Wife and the Leaves With all Her Belongings. There is domestic trouble in a

household in the western part of the city and the lord and master sits alone mourning the loss of his wife, who disappeared, yesterday, and of whom no tidings have been obtain-

Yesterday morning the husband went to work as usual and there was peace in his home. At noon when he came home there was no dinner ready and even the breakfast dishes had not been washed.

He went to the nearest neighbor and found his wife was engaged in sewing there. He was mad and used language so very abusive that the neighbor interfered and two women's tongues being too much for him he returned home, got his own dinner and went to work.

Last night when he came home the house was in disorder. His wife was gone and so were all her belongings. She was angered at her husband's barsh language and made up her mind to leave him and at once packed up all her individual property and took her departure,

Where she went no one knows unless it is her neighbor above referred to and if she knows she very wisely keeps her own counsel.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Breker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for each or carried on margin. NEW YORK, April 23 '96.

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data in a s.m., fr-morrow, and at St. Mary's Church, in Montgomery, with mass, at eleven s.m. Interment at Montgomery.

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same, with proper vouchers thereof, to the
undersign d, at the residence of Emmet J.
McBride, in the town of Wawayands. in said
county, on or before September 7th, 1896.

EMMET J. McBRIDE,
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THE ARGUS

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1896.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

SY UNITED PRIME Washington, D. C., April 23 — Generally fair to-night, Friday, increasing cloudiness warmer in interior; northerly winds shifting to

THE TEMPLEATURE.

The following was the registry of the ther. mometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day: 7 a. m., 46 >: 13 m., 66 > : 3 p. m., 71 >.

AMUSEMENT AND RECERATION. -April 20-25 - Miss Bachelle Renard and Company, at Cavino.; -April 22 Dance of Lucky Thought Lodge, at Assembly Hooms. -April 23 - Organ Fund Recital, at First Bartist Church.
-April 28 "The Ramble," at Y. M. C. A.

FOO'.15.

— ap il 29—' Fanet," at Casino.

— May 1 informal dance at the Assembly Rooms, by the Ledies Auxiliary of Thrair Hosp, tal —May 12-17 — Parada and Spielkartenfest for benefit of Thrall Hospital, at Casino.

-May 20-Grand opening of Midway Park. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

-See primes of meat at Greening Bros'. —Diseases of the kinners and liver—Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Bemedy -Doctor yourself with Munyon's remedies. Borden's condensed milk sold by dealers -Watches given away with Mail Pouch.
- Fine lot of millipers at Frank Orawford's -"Took a tumble." See Greening's adv. 🗻 - L'querna it permanently cured. -North Biver, had at south Street Market

Bargains in musiin at Geo. B. adams Cr. is. -Tan shoes for everybody at 8 Burnett's-' Fanchon, the Cricket," at Casico, to-night
-Scrim 3% cent., Saturday, at Weller &

-Stylish trimmed bate at Frank Crawl rd a

-Booc po'atees 25 cents a bushel at C. N Predmore & Bon's. -- gents wanted by Crofts & Reed. -Hudson Biver shad at Greening Bros'.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

-"Fanchon, the Cricket," at the Casino, to-night.

-Morrison's "Faust" at the Casino, next Wednesday evening -Warren Delano has paid the debt

of \$5,000 on the Newburgh Unitari-

-Middletown Lodge, I. O. O F., will work the initiatory degree, tonight.

-The Bachelor Social Club will hold a meeting at the Assembly Rooms, to-night, at 7:30.

-Tae change in the weather is a sharp reminder that a few warm days in April don't make a summer. -A number of horses in Deckertown and its vicinity are suffering

from pink eye. -The late Judge Conklin, of Deckertown, leaves an estate of \$13,000, of which \$5 000 goes to his mother.

-The Kingston Leader says that Millen & Co.'s shirt factory in that city is very busy and in need of more

-fhere was a hail storm Tuesday afternoon in Port Jervis and vicinity, which destroyed a great quantity of lettuce and cabbage plants.

-Miss Rosabel Morrison, daughter of Lewis Morrison, will take the part of Marguerite in "Faust," at the Caeino, weinesday evening.

-The Angle-Swiss Company has torn down the shop which stood on McMonagie & Rogers, Drug- the Canal street lot that it recently pu chased from Dr. Everett,

-Great numbers of grasshoppers have appeared in some parts of Delaware county, and farmers fear that

their fields will again be laid bare. -Reports from the Boards of Excise of the different towns in Rockland county show that 237 licenses

are now in force. -The loss of William Loeven on his storage warehouse, caused by the

hat shop fire, has been settled satisfactory by Combs & Wilbur, -Farry & Napier, of Newburgh,

have completed the army hat contract on which they have employed a large number of hatters for some -Many improvements are soon to be made about the O. and W.'s

building is to be erected at De--Although outsiders who visited the trout region, last week, had poor tuck, the Up Midland papers are

Delhi station and a new station

enronicling big catches by local fish--The Friendship Club will hold its postponed Easter hop at the Assembly rooms, this evening. A number of visitors from out of town will be

present. -A horse with which Joel H. Benedict was working the road, near Warwick, the other day, stepped off a steep bank, and falling broke its

-Fortunately the Weather Bureau was " off " in its prediction of colder weather for last night and this morning and the temperature did not fall low enough to damage even the

-Delicious home-made cakes of all kinds will be for sale by the Woman's Auxiliary of Grace Church, on Friday, from 3 to 5, at the residence of Mrs. Henry W. Wiggins, 12 Orchard street.

tenderest vegetation.

-The cheiry trees have put forth a few blossoms, but they are few and far between. There isn't one where there were a hundred, last year, so even if the cold weather blasts them it does but little damage, for there would have been no fruit any way.

Drive out the impurities from your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla diseases, chapped hands and lips, and thus avoid that tired, languid feeling and even serious illness.

PERSOR AL

-Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McVoy, of Walden, are visiting friends in town. -George McLaughlin, Esq., of

Monticello, was in town, to-day. -Miss Ahrend, of Hoboken, who bas been visiting Miss Minnie Wengenroth, returned home, to-day.

-- Mrs Grinnell Burt is still in a very feeble condition, her allment now taking the form of scute nervous prostration.-Warwick Dispatch.

-C. H. Hopkins, of Middletowa, euperintendent of the Southern Division of the O. and $W_{\cdot \cdot}$ was calling on friends in town, Tuesday -Norwich

-Mrs. Anna Barnes, of Port Jervis, is in this city to care for her mother, Mrs. Gabriel Colby, who has been sick for three weeks with the grip.

-Nelson A. Dink, of New York city, has taken an agency with the United States Life Insurance Co, of Newark, N.J., in the Middletown

HYMENEAL

Hopkins-Wadsworth

From Our Goshen Correspondent, A very pretty wedding took place in the Presbyterian Church, in this village, at 4.30 o'clock yesterday atternoon. The parties were Mr. E. A. Hopkins, a popular and highly esteemed young man, who is employed in Corwin & Kniffin's hardware store, and Miss Blanche, oldest daughter of the late Hon. Henry A. Wadsworth. The church was very handsomely decorated with potted plants, and a large number of the friends of the young couple were present to

see them joined in wedlock's bonds. The ushers were Dr. McGeoch and Mr. Floyd Halstead, Mr. W. W. Whiddit, the church's organist, presided at the organ, and for half an hour before the ceremony played chosen selections. On the arrival of the bridsi party the wedding march from Lohengrin was played Tue ceremony was performed by Rev. R. B. Clark.

The bride was most becomingly attired is a suit of green cloth, with white revers and blouse, with hat to

After the ceremony they were driven to the station, and took Erie train 2 for their wedding journey On their return they will commence housekeeping or Grand street.

Many valuable presents were received by the young people.

Gillen-Reagan.

8t. Columba's Roman Catholic Church, at Chester, was filled at 5 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, by the friends of Miss Annie Reagan, of Ohester, and Mr. Thomas M. Gillen, of this city. They came to witness the ceremony that made them hueband and wife.

The nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Hannigan, pastor of St. Columba's Church.

The bridal couple were accompanied to the altar by Mr. James McCarthy, of New York, as best man, and Miss Jennie Callahan, of this city, as bridesmaid. The ushers were Mesars. William Wade, of Port Jervis, and Mr. Charles Lennon, of this city.

The bride's dress was of brocaded white taffetta silk, with white ribbon trimmings. She carried a bouquet of yellow roses. The bridesmaid's dress was of white India silk, with pearl trimmings.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gillen went to the home of the bride's mother and at 6 o'clock gave a reception, which was attended by a large number of their friends.

The evening was very pleasantly spent in various social amusements. Aspecial order to stop train 3 at Chester had been issued for the accommodation of Mr. and Mrs. Gillen and their Middletown and Port Jervis guests, and the festivities were brought to a close at an early

Mr. and Mrs. Gillen after their arrival in this city west immediately to the home prepared by the groom for his bride, on Cottage street.

The groom is a well known machivist, employed in the O. and W. shops. He is a member of McQuoid Engine Co. and of the A. O. H. and is very popular with his friends and acquaintances.

The bride is an estimable yourg lady, who has a very large circle of friends in Chester and in this city as well. Her popularity among her friends was attested by the very large number of presents which she received.

The Argus joins in the hearty congratulations and good wishes of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gillen.

Mrs. Seymour DeWitt Painfully Injured,

As Mrs. Seymour DeWitt was in upon her right foot, crushing the great toe so badly that surgical treatment had to be given.

Drs. Douglas and Struble were called and found it necessary to remove the nail. The patient was put under ether during the operation.

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OBITUARY.

Mrs. Staels, widow of the late John Monahan, of Scotchtown, died in Thrall Hospital at 3 o'clock, this morning. She had been ill ever since her husband's death, two months ago. She first suffered from an attack of pneumonia and never regained her strength. She was removed to the hospital two days ago.

Mrs. Monshan was about fifty five reass old. She is survived by one son, James. For the past twenty years Mrs

Monahan and her husband had been employed by Abner Mills at Scotch-

The funeral will be from Donovan's undertaking rooms at 9 a. m., to-morrow, and at St. Mary's Church in Montgomery with mass at 11 a. m. The interment will be in Mont-

From Our Searsville Correspondent. James Barkley, one of our oldest c.t.zans, died, April 18th, of patalysis, aged eighty-four years, two months

Mr. Barkley was born in the town of Crawford, and lived here all bis life. He was married Jan. 25th, 1847, to Nancy Stevenson, who survives him, as does one brother, Gaston mite bomb. Mr. Murray, president Barkley, of Brooklyr, and one steter. Mrs. Elizabeth Meather, of Binghamton. A brother, R I. C. Barkley, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Dicker-

Mr. Barkley was a good hearted man and well liked by all who knew day morning, of consumption, aged him. The funeral, beld Monday, April 20th, was largely attended. The | funeral will be held Friday. services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Erskine, who presched from the text found in John vii:17.

Thrall Sospital.

The Young Ladies' Auxiliary of Thrail Hospital will give an informal and parlors, Friday evening, May Giens Falls. 1st. The Assembly Rooms will be reserved for dancing and the adjoin-

ing pariors will be used for whist. during the evening.

Tickete admitting gentleman and given to the hospital. The reception should be largely attended by our are enthusiastic workers for the hospital and their efforts should receive the fullest encouragement.

Funeral of Mrs. Reuben Cochran.

ran took place at 2 p. m. yesterday, at her late residence, near Bloomingburgh, Rev. G. E. Kerr, pastor of the M E Church, at Bloomingburgh, officiating, The attendance large. The music was by a quar-

"The bearers were Measrs. Abram Hornbeck, William Hornbeck, Seth Reed, A. F. McEwen. Lewis Bell and Miller Cox.

F. O. Rockafellow & Bro., of this city, had charge of the tuneral.

A Middletown small boy "broke up" his mother, yesterday, by announcing that he had been playing marbles with a boy in the neighbor hood but hadn't had much fun, "'cause he's in mourning for his grandma, who died last week, and won't play with anything except black marbles."

To Celebrate the Anniversary of Odd

Orange Encampment and Middletown and Luther Lodges, I, O O. F,. of this city, will celebrate the seventyseventh anniversary of Odd Fellowship by attending services at St. Paul's M. E. Church, Sunday evening, when Rev. Dr. Wilson will deliver a sermon to the order.

the Erie Lesses Coal Cars

The Erie Rallroad has leased 1 000 cars from the Ohio Southern. They will be used in the coal and ore trade on the Mahoning division.

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THE COUNTY SEAT.

HAPPENINGS INCIDENTS AND

Peterson's Interview With Bank President Murray-Death of a Child-Attended & Wedding at Ches. ter - Rent Estate Sale - Epworth League Entertainment-Invited to Attend Church.

From Our Regular Correspondent,

—Somebody must have told Bony" Peterson about the game Anarchist Norcross once tried to work on Russell Sage. Yesterday be went into the National Bank of Orange County and demanded a quarter, saying that he would stay there until he got it. His presence would have been as disagreeable as a dynaof the bank, promptly threw him out. He was later arrested and for five months from this afternoon be will langui h at Albany.

-Loretta, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Crozier, died, vestersix months and twenty-one days. The

-Among those who attended the Waldror-May wedding at Chester, last night, were the Misses Lawrence and Messrs. J. B. Swezey, Geo. H. Milispaugh and Chas. Dusen-

-"Princess Rosebud" at Music Hall, to night,

-Mrs. Haskell has sold the Berdell property, which she recently reception at the Assembly Rooms purchased, to Jane Ferguson, of -The Epworth League will give an

entertainment in the M. E. Church parlors, next Thursday evening, the -Rev. Geo. Betts has extended an invitation to Orange Ladge, I. O. O.

TO OCCUPY NEW QUARTERS.

Church, next Sunday evening.

F, to attend service at St. James'

Bull & Youngblood to Move to the Rearing Building Sept. 1st-Other Changes.

C. Z. Taylor is putting a new floor in the store in the Nearing building prices, and we will keep it up. recently occupied as a music store The store is being fitted up for Bull & Youngblood, who will take possession of it on Sept. 1st, but do not have to vacate their present quarters until Oct. 1st, so that they will have ample time in which to get their stock to rights in their new store. The store in the Nearing building

la larger than that which Bull & Youngblood will vacate, and is well adapted to the grocery trade. The location is a good one, and there is no doubt that in its new quarters the firm will continue to do a large and profitable business.

The store now occupied by this firm will be fitted up for the Merchants and Manufacturers' Bank. which bought the bullding last year, and the present bank building, which is owned by Mr. L. Stern, will be connected with his millinery and fancy goods store, making one large establishment.

A Neighbor's Dog on Guard.

A young man, who had been out to see his best girl, last night, and lingered longer at the door than he should have done, returned to his home to find a neighbor's dog on guard at the gate. He tried to make friends with the animal, but it wouldn't have it and he was finally compelled to go to a hotel for the

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Instructive Facts Furnished by Commodore Philip Hichborn, Chief Constructor of the Navy-Comparison of Naval Strength.

The prospect of strained relations between the United States and Spain over the disposition in this country to sympathize with the Cuban insurgents gives an interest to the relative strength of the navies of the two countries in case they should be led into armed conflict.

Commodore Philip Hichborn, the chief constructor of the navy, gave some interesting facts to a correspondent regarding the relative strength of the two navies, although he refused to express any opinion as to the prospect of war or the merits of the situation in Cuba. He turnished the following list of ships of war which the United States will have in commission by July 1, 1896, with their

tonnage:			
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Oregon		Newark	4,09
Massachus	etts .10.285	San Franci	isco 4.03
		Charleston	
		Cincinnati	
		Raleigh	
Amphitrite		Boston	
Terror		Detroit	
Monadnock		Montgome	
Monterey		Marblehea	
Puritan		Bennington	
Katahdin-		Concord	
New York		Yorktown	
Olympia		Gastine	
Columbia		Matthias	
Minneapoll		Vesuvius .	
Chicago		Petrel	
Baltimore.			
partimore.	1,110		

In addition to these 35 fighting ships, Commodore Hichborn stated that within 50 days after July several additional vessels could be put in commission if their services were needed.

"We could have two fighting ships," said he, "the battle ship Iowa, of 11.410 tons displacement, and the Brooklyn, an aromored cruiser of the New York type, but larger and more powerful than that splendid vessel, of 9,271 tons. There is also the Chicago, which is now undergoing repairs, and nine other vessels, mostly of the gunboat class, which could be used at that time. Our small fieet of torpedo boats on October 1 next ould be supplemented by seven others now building. The list I have given you does not include any of the old turreted monitors or any of the old cruiser class. either of wood or iron, though doubtless



COMMODORE HICHBORN.

some of them might be moderately serviceable in a war with any but a firstclass naval power."

"How many vessels are there in the Spanish navy that compare favorably with the Indiana, Oregon, Massachusetts and Iowa?"

"There is only one ship in the Spanish navy that can be compared with the Indiana class in our navy. The Pelayo, launched in 1887, is of about the same displacement, thickness of armor, and speed, but carries in her main battery two 12.6-inch and two 11-inch guns, as against four 13-inch guns by the Indiana. The Pelayo's secondary battery consists of one 6.3-inch and 12 4.7-inch guns, as against six 6-inch guns by the Indiana. They have six modern secondclass battleships of 7,000 tons displacement, 13,000 indicated horse power, and 20 knots estimated speed, launched in 1890 and 1891.

"The Cardenal Cisneros, Cataluna, and Princess de Asturas of 6,648 tons displacement and the same estimated speed, are still under construction. All six are of the same general type, with a narrow water-line belt of 12-inch armor, and carry two 11-inch guns in 101/2-inch armored barbettes, and 110 5-inch guns protected by shields. They have one ship, the Emperado Carlos V., of the type of the New York, having 9,090 tons displacement and 20 knots estimated speed, launched in 1895, and not yet completed. She has no side armor except a two-inch easement around the upper battery, but has an armor deck of the same thickness as the New York's.

"Besides these the only armored ships in the Spanish navy are the Numancia and Vitoria of 7,000 tons displacement. launched in 1863 and 1865, and earrying muzzle-loading guns, and the Puigcerda, a small monitor, built in 1874. All except the latter are fitted with torpedo tubes. Of modern unarmored ships they have the Alfonso XIII, and Lepanto. of about 5,000 tons displacement and 20 knots estimated speed, carrying four 8-inch and six 4-inch guns, the Alfonso XII., Reina Christina and Reina Mer cedes, designed for transports, of about 3,000 tons displacement and 17 knots estimated speed, carrying six 6.3-inch guns; seven gunboats of the Infanta Isabella class of 1,130 tons displacement, each carrying two 4.7-inch guns, six of them being of what is known as the tor-

pedo-catcher class with high speed. "Besides these they have a few old wooden ships and about 45 very small gupboats of no fighting value. They have 38 first-class and three secondclass torpedo boats and four vidette boats, but few, if any, of them could make the ocean voyage."

Kentucky Man's Odd Name, Chink Dollars was the name given by a prisoner in the Paducah (Ky.) police court a few days ago, and, so far as could be learned, it was the man's ac-

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FASHION'S FANCIES.

Hints Which May Prove of Benefit to

Well-Dressed Women.

Fancy braids are still fashionably used on many styles of dress. Galloons both wide and narrow are made great use of, and are to be found in all the dark and some of the neutral tones, matching plain dress fabrics, the narrower braids usually finished with a tiny line of gold or silver at each edge, or they show shot, shaded, or Persian mixtures and other fancy combinations in keeping with the varied color schemes of the season.

Alpaca and mohair used to be counted an economical purchase, and perhaps they deserve the reputation they have acquired, but as now sold they can by no means be called cheap fabrics, and shoppers are often surprised to find them quite as expensive as silk, excepting, perhaps, the very finest qualities of silk. It must, however, be said for them that these materials are double width, and the fact that mohair is one of the most fashionable dress fabrics, if not quite the most fashionable, must not be overlooked when passing judgment upon it.

Trim, taut and preeminently smart are some of the new spring coats that are shaped to suit every form and fancy. Some are belted, others finished with strapped seams and a gay lining. Some are tight-fitting in the back, with loose box fronts, and again are open-fronted styles with immense revers that continue into spreading cape collars, the revers and collar covered with velvety white cloth, stitched with rows of white silk, or the facing is of white satin, wrought with colored beads and spangles.

A great variety of silky looking feather-weight fancy straws are used for spring hats and bonnets, many of which are in mixed colors, to match iridescent and Persian dress goods. Although reduced somewhat in size, the new round hats are nearly all picturesque in effect, although greatly overburdened with trimming. For dress occasions the tiny toy bonnet continues in undisturbed reign. Quantities of exquisite lace, pins, buckles, bands and slides of beadwork, pearl and gold gimp, and fascinating French flowers and foliage are used on these fresh creations of the milliner.-Chicago Inter Ocean.

HE MADE A DISCOVERY.

How Murat Halstead Was Embarrassed at Meeting a Certain Woman.

The best retort that Murat Halstead ever received is the one which is doscribed as follows:

The old law firm of Goldsmith, Colston. Hoadley & Johnson was one of Mr. Halstead's pet subjects for sarcasm, politically and otherwise. He caught up a phrase which was attributed to the junior partner of the firm, Mr. Johnson, and after calling him a shining ornament of the Cincinnati bar' for some time the brilliant Mr. Halstead went further and publicly dubbed Mr. Johnson 'the brass ornament of the Cincinnati bar.' This phrase was so attractive to Mr. Halstead that he never hesitated to use it every possible way. Halstead's day of reckoning came, however.

At an evening gathering Mr. Halstead, who was very susceptible to the charms of the fair sex, saw a handsome woman in the crowd superbly dressed, and with diamonds on her bosom and in her hair that would at once attract attention. He begged to be presented, and was-to Mrs. Johnson. It did not present itself to Mr. Halstead's mind, a little less steady at the time than usual, who the lady might be. He was curious about her.

"Johnson, Johnson?" he repeated, "I have never had the pleasure of meeting you before, Mrs. Johnson. Do you live in Ohio?"

"Oh, yes," replied the lady, brimming over with smiles; "I live in Cincinnati."

"Indeed!" said Mr. Halstead, quite astonished. "May I inquire of what family of Johnsons you are?"

The smiles were more merry this "Mr. Halstead," she replied, "for 15

years I have been trying to polish up the 'brass ornament of the Cincinnati bar." -The Collector and Commercial Lawyer.

Joke on Her.

The other day in a street car a man was crowded along in his seat by the very fashionably-dressed young woman, who pushed herself in next to him. Her very full dress skirt further inconvenienced him, for she was so anxious to preserve it from wrinkling while sitting that she swung its folds carelessly over the lap of this man next to her-This person had his own ideas about proper retaliation. He deliberately adjusted his large, clumsily-shod feet so that they appeared to emerge from beneath the skirt. It was not long before they were noticed by some one opposite. The effect of the great, awkward feet, as if belonging to the pretty young woman, was indescribably ludierous. The looker-on laughed and pointed out the joke to his neighbor. The looks and laughs spread, until all the rest of the car were craning their necks to see the fun. At last the girl herself became conscious of the jest at her expense. With a look like thunder she motioned to the conductor and hastily left them all. — Philadelphia

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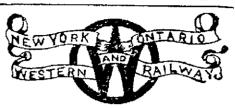
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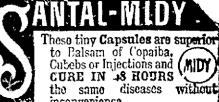
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MES, WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used

Owing to the illness of Mr. O. Harry Brown, the Mandolin Quartette,-Messre. Brown, Hayes, Iseman and .Stratton will be unable to dil their engagement, this evening, at the organ recital at the First Baptist Church. Mr. Clarence Hulse has very kindly offered the services of the Junior Mandolin Club and they will give two selections.

Miss Austin, of Uniouvilla, was has won for herself no small degree of fame as an elecutionist will give a number of recitations.

The programme is as follows:

PART I. Recitation-"Song in the market place" Miss Austin
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Quartette
Recitation—" Irish philosophy".....
Miss Austin. Selection Junior Mandolin ('lub Recitation - "roreign view of the fair"
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LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN DANCE. Lucky Thought Lodge's Annual Recep-

tion and Ball. Lucky Thought Lodge, No. 232. Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, held its annual reception and ball at the Assembly Rooms, last night.

The attendance was very large, everything passed off smoothly and all present had a good time. Prof. Collins and his four sons, of Newburgh, furnished the music- and dancing was kept up until an early

hour this morning. The committees in charge of the affair, to whom much of its success is due were as fellows:

Floor Committee-Wm. McAloon, manager; W. J. Leddy, John Cohaisa, John McCarmick, Pater Short, aids.

Reception Committee-Fred Case, John Dunham, George Haley, M. J Hoey, L. Hoey, A. C. Townshend, John Clancy.

Committee of Arrangements-F C. Schiedler, M. J Kerrigan, Wm. Garland, Thomas O'Farrell.

The Erie's Rales for Checking Bleyeles

The Eris has issued an order to ag-nte in the State of New York to accept bicycles for transportation between points in New York State as baggage, and to check them in the same manner as other baggage, upon presentation of a regular passage ticket. Oaly one bicycle will be checked for any one passenger, and they will not be carried on trains 5 or 8 without a special order from gen- placed where he found it by the noted eral baggage agents. Bicycle tickets Will be sold as before to points in

Erie lines can check bleycles to junc- times the lead that is now used in the tion points only.

rending Came Laws.

ಮರ laws passed the Assembly Tuesday. They prohibit the houndng of deer, except from Oct. 1 to Oct. Enaclusive, and prohibit hounding | Highland, Lumberland, Tusten, Cochecton and Bethel in Sullivan connty. A'l kinds of traps for deer, including sait licks, are probibited, and jack lights may be used only from Sept. 1 to Sept. 15, inclusive.

A Missirg Wan Found.

From our Goshen Correspondent Leaders of the Angus will remem-

ber that mention was made several months ago of the disappearance (f) John McGrath, who left his home, in Gosher, late last fall to look for work. He was traced as far as Rosendale where all closs were lost and though inquiries were made in all directions, nothing could be learned concerning him. The mising man has at last been heard from Hasbrouck and Robert G Lewis. He is an inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Bath, in Steuben county. and has been there ever since he left home.

Kingston L quor Bealers to Test the Validity of Licenses for 1896-97

Kings'on's Lquir Dealers' Assoclation has app inted a committee to make a test case of the licenses for 1896-97 feaued by the city Board of Excise. No action will be taken now, but if the Court of Appeals holds the Raines law constitutional in the case that has gone up from New York city, it is proposed to at once take measures to establish the Validity of licenses granted before the enactment of the new law.

The Time for Building

Up the system is at this season. The cold weather has made unusual drains upon the vital forces. The blood has become impoverished and impure, and all the functions of the body suffer in consequence. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great builder, be cause it is the One True Blood Purifler and nerve tonic.

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UP THE MIDLAND.

In Business for Minicell-Going to Libcriv-Looking Over America - The Sige Stone Business-Bad Outlook for Farmers-Looking for a Site for a Rangid Butter Pactory-One of Tom Quick's Bullets.

-Fred Henry, who for the past two vears has clerked for Maybee & Gregory, of Roscoe, will start in business for himself. He has the foundation for a new store completed.

-Arch Cochran, formerly of Rockland, will have charge of the Liberty lumber yard for the Riscie manufacturing company. That village and its environments have grown so much of late that it furnishes an excellent market for building material at good prices.

-Last week, on an O. and W. train on his way to Walden, was J. A. E Paine, a director in the George Wostenholm & Son cutlery establishment, of Sneffield, England. The gentleman was getting at the "Hemerican" methods of knie making. and at the same time keeping an eye out for the investment of British capital.

--While the stone business is quite brisk just now, so far as gettik out and prices are no better than for the past two years. There has been a great scaling down of the wages paid workmen in the quarries from those of five years ago, and lower wages seem to be the only thing that keeps the stone business running.

-There is no need in my saying that the farmers of the United States are in bad shape. Every other farmer is going behind so fast that it is but a question of time when he will be at the mercy of the sheriff There is no bow of promise in the financial sky of the agriculturist, and it is difficult to suggest any legislation that would bring relief. "Ill fares the land,"

-A Boston firm that mak & a business of making ancient butter more palatable has been looking after a site for a factory nearer to their supply and demand. It seems that this firm has been engaged in this business for many years, and I am sorry to say finds it profitable. Taey buy the poorest kind of butter, sometimes as low as five cents a pound, and after churning it in milk and otherwise manipulating it sell it for double what it costs the a. They us obout a carload a week, and one saddest part of the whole matter is that the butter making farmer is the loser at both ends of the transaction.

-In conversation recently with a resident of the Delaware Valley he informed me that in cutting up a tree for firewood he found embedded in it a rifle bullet so large that it bore no proportion to those of to-day. He is of the opinion that it may have been Indian slayer, Tom Quick, as that was one of his favorite haunts. It is a well known fact that the bullets of Passengers going to points off the those days contained about four two sections came together with builet fired from a modern rifle, and they were not half an effective as those of to-day. Tom Quick and the Sanger bile to amend the mighty hunters of our grandfathers' days made wonderful records with their rifles, that have been handed down through generations and preserved in history and tale, the truth at any time in the counties of St. of which should be always taken with Lawrence, Delaware, Greene. Ulster a grain of sait. Were they to-day to and Sullivan, except in the towns of take their stand at the target or traps with some of the noted shots of your 24th Separate Company they would not be in it after the second shot was fired. Those old fellows were undoubtedly good shooters and did the best work they could with what they had to do it with. but the art of making fine shooting guns was left for these later days.

Rusticus,

Funeral of George E. Watts.

The funeral of the late George E. Watts was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon, from his late residence, No. 181 North street, R v. D. J. Evane, rector of Grace Church, officiating. The bearers were Mesers, O. C. Olmetead, Charles G. Baldwin, John The interment was in Enll-ide Cometery.

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Three well known Eche conductors on the eastern division were notified. yesterday, of their promotion to the passenger service. They were Messrs. DeWitt Davis, Henry A. Ropler and James H. Troy.

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MT. SALEM.

Church Services-The blek List- Mountain fires-Improvements, Correspondence Angus and MERCURY.

-Services were conducted in the church, Sunday morning and evening, by the Rev. Mr. Haggen, of Northern New Jersey. No permanent minister has been engaged yet, but an a pointment was made for next Sunday morning and evening.

-There is quite a number on the sick list at present.

-Farmers are all busy getting their plowing done these fine days and hope that spring has come to stay, though they feel a little dubious.

-Mrs. Bowdoine Courtright spent last week wi h friends in and near Middletown, under the doctor's care.

-Mrs. Raymond Coursen is quite ill at her home on the mountain road and is being attended by Dr. Dennis, of Unionville,

-Mr. Jason Clark is, we are glad to hear, able to sit up, and it is hoped will soon be out again.

-Mrs. John J. Courtright is still very sick at her home near this place. At one time her recovery was the stone is concerned, the demand doubtful, but it is now hoped she will pe better soon.

> -Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Northrip are both complaining, but are about the house.

-Mt. Salem, well up on the mountain, though at a safe distance, had a fine view of the fires on the mountain, which were reging both north and south of us, and both of which seemed headed towards the High Point Inn.

-Mr. Ed. Uptegrove and daughter, of New Y 'rk city, are spending a few days at M. W. Elston's.

-Mr. Chris Ferguson is improving his residence both inside and out. Mr. Harrison Decker is doing the carpenter work.

-Mr. Decker has been doing work for M. W. Elston, which makes a decided improvement in and about his residence.

-- Miss Abbie Hoyt is having her house newly painted, which will greatly improve its already attractive ap, earance.

HIS LIFE CRUSHED OUT.

Brakeman Titsworth Caught Between the Bumpers.

John Titsworth, a brakeman on Conductor Carpenter's Eastern Division train, was killed in the Port Jervis yard, fuesday night, while making up his train,

No one saw the accident, but it is supposed that he stepped in between two sections of the train that had broken apart to make a coupling and did not see the rear brakeman eignal the engineer to back up and was caught between the bumpers, as the great force. His body prevented the coupling and when the engine pulled up it dropped to the track, where it was found shortly afterwards, the breast and abdomen having been crushed perfectly flat, as was his left

Not Soon Pergotten

From the Conglomerate There have been few local crafts.

men ever more missed than "Buck" Bowers, of the Areus, who was lately laid to rest. His job was done, his 'stick" must be laid aside. Did he | • murmur at the call of his Master abov ? No; his answer was respectful and willing; as he had been in the shop, so was he at his death call, rep asive to what was right. A model graftsmen he,-diligent in business, sober of discourse, his fellow workers at his side, of whem he was the "foreman," never noticed any sign of what would mar the steady progress of his industry.

A genial, kindly light lurked within his every smile, and an unvarying courtesy to all. We, the Conglomer. ate, pay this tardy but sincere tribute to a printer, who was as ready to oblige us in any work, when years ago our budding weekty was growing into bloom, as he was unstinted in his praise of our more matu e work. Peace be to you, "Buck," your name is written in the sanctum of the printer's heart.

Journalistic Notes,

-The Port Jervis Gazette celebra e litstwenty-teventh enniversary yesterday. The paper was prosperous from the start, and except for a prief interval, when the establishment changed ownership two or three times in a short period, it has had twenty-seven years of unbroken prosperity. We are pleased to lan hat the business of the establishment was never better than at present. The Gazette deserves its pros-

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WURTSBORO,

Many Literesting Personal and Local Item.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY. -Henry Peck has accepted the position of salesman for the Ellenville marble works.

-Married, Thursday, April 16, at M. E parsonage at Phillipsport by Rev. G. E. Barber, Stephen Decker, of Wurtboro, and Miss Rhods J. Bush, of Haven, N. Y.

-Mis Addie Barrett, of Brooklyn, is visiting Miss Nora Roesch and Miss Anna Smith, of Port Jervis, 8 visiting Miss Minnie Banks.

-Mrs. T. V. Masten and daughter. Mrs. E. E. Sherwood, are visiting at George Masten's, in New York city. -Miss Clara Hosier is visiting her eistet in Newburgh.

-Jas. H. Gurdon is building an addition to Eljah Smith's house at Maple Grove.

-Misss Lena Parcells is visiting in Middletown.

-D L Woods and Jas. Gumaer have recovered from sickness.

-" Dory " Wood and Will Leigh of Middletown, spent Sunday here. -Miss Tice's department of the public school is clused for the balance of the season.

-The Street Commissioner, Geo. Helm, with a force of men, is cleaning the atreets this week.

-Charles Stanton has surrendered his lease of the Union House. -Fred Weller has given up his

position as canal night watchman and is succeeded by Jas. Burns. -Burt Foster has removed from

P. J. R. R depot to Dorrance House -Mrs. Frank Holmes, of Warwick.

is visiting her parents here. -- Two thousand trout consigned to Jas A. Fulton were distributed last week in streams near Wurtsboro.

-Green Bros. have opened a fine blue stone quarry, -Patrick McNamee offers for sale

two young cows, new milkers. -A Sunday school is to be organ-

ized at Haven, Sunday. -Mr. Chas. Ruesch and son, Floyd, of Orisv Ile, spent Sunday here.

-Miss Katie Romer is recovering from icfl immatory rheumatism. G H

A Bara struck by Lightning and Burn.

From our Guymard Correspondent The barn of Wm. Maxwell, about

two miles porth of Greenville, was struck by lightning, set on fire and entirely destroyed, during the storm of Tuesday evening, April 22 The stock consisting of two horses and two cows was saved with difficulty. The loss is partly covered by insur-

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